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Reply to Office Action of March 16, 2005

Amendments to the Drawings:

Enclosed herewith is a revised copy of Fig. 4 of the drawings which should be

entered in the application in place of Fig. 4 as originally filed to correct a spelling error in Box

116. The correction is shown in red on an accompanying copy of the drawing. No new matter

is being added by this drawing correction.

The attached sheet(s) of drawings includes changes to Fig. 4. This sheet, which

includes Figs. 2, 3 and 4, replaces the original sheet(s) including Figs. 2, 3 and 4.

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Annotated Sheet Showing Changes

Replacement Sheet

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It is respectfully submitted that the claims as now presented directed to a method of making a single layered applique having the appearance of multiple layers stitched together resulting from the steps of printing the first, second, third and fourth portions on the fabric layer as set forth in Claim 26, and Claim 25 as amended, are clearly allowable over the prior art. There is no showing in Myers of creating the appearance of multiple layers by the overprinting as in the steps recited in Claims 25 and 26, particularly printing a third portion on the first and second portions, with such third portion simulating stitching, and then printing a fourth portion, simulating stitch holes through which the stitches of the third portion pass. Therefore, favorable consideration and allowance of the claims is respectfully requested.

If the Examiner has any questions concerning this application, he is respectfully requested to call the undersigned.

Respectfully submitted,

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Fig. 4